RAT PORTAGE MINER

minimi TUESDAY and FRIDAY mmmmm

VOL. X, NO. 93

RAT PORTAGE, ONT., TUESDAY, OCT. 11, 1901.

PRICE 5 CENTS

A Brand of Milk



Reindeer Brand



Insist on having REINDEER BRAND For Sale by all RAT PORTAGE GROCERS.

E. NICHOLSON, 115 Bannatyne St. East, Winnipeg, Wholesale Agen

VULCAN IRON CO.. WINNIPEC

Boilers & Engines, Mill & Elevator Machinery

IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS.

Architectural Iron Work & Bridge Material, All Kinds of Machinery Repaired.

Goldie, McCulloch Co. Dominion Radiator Co. Fairhanks, Morse Co. Warden, King & Son Gardner Governor & Steam Pump Co. Northy Mig Co.

AGENTS FOR Safes and Vault Doors, Wheeloch & Ideal Engines :Steam and Hot Water Radiators Scales and Gasoline Engines Daisy Hot Water Boilers.

Governors and Steam Pumps Mining and Steam Pumps

S. S. CUMMINS. - Local Agent. FIRE BRICKS and FIRE CLAY



Superintendents will find it to their interest to refer to us when in need of anything in the Pumpline. We make Pumps of every des crintion and for all

PUMP CATALOGUES

and CASOLINE EN-CINE cheap, handy, sain. Sond for

sen upon request;
We manufacture shouther the Hostney shouther the Hostn Company Limited Joronto

MINING MACHINER'

INGERSOLL-SERGEANT LIBOTOWOOD

ROCK DRILLS and AIR COMPRESSORS

Our Ammunition is Prime and well Anthony Blum's Capitalists

Our Guns are both Good and Cheap Have you seen our Lamps? They are fine lot, and the prices: well, they

he shortest notice, and without dirty ing up the house.

Jacob

PRIVATE SALE

Household Furniture.

THE undersigned having decided to leave Hat Portage offers for sale quantity of Household Furniture and various other articles, which may seen at her residence, Tunnel island. MRS. LANGFORD.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.



Ladies Heavy Freize Cloth Jackets.

faths mark 3 are visualing faced. In a will have yet been reached. Ladies Fine Beaver Cloth Jacket, i.

in black and colored, at \$7.50 each.
Ladies' Handsome Beaver Coth lackets, with new house back and from, jamus and the damap, which stroyed gol

Ladies Blackand Navy Dress Skirts, inche on, made in the New Flare Pattern, perfect The ge

Astonished at Wonderful Golden Rocks.

Last week Mr. Anthony Blum, pres dent of the 20th Century Mining Company, arrived here, accompanied by a party of American capitalists, who are shareholders in the concern. The American gentlemen were taken to the well-known 20th Century mine on the Tiper Maniton, where Mr. Blum left them with pans and morturs and went to Wabigeon and Dinorwic to superintend the transportation, of winter supplies to mine When Mr. Blum returned he learned that every gentleman in the party had tried his hand at panning, and all had been sucessful in getting liberal showings of the vellow metal.

A Miner reporter interviewed the gentlemen of Mr. Blum's party and found them the most enthusiastic crowd imaginable. They had a sack of the finest looking ore seen since the Golden Horn stuff was brought to town a pure white quartz, highly mineralized and heavily charged with sulphurets. It was, of course, unneccessary to tell the reporter that this

Mr. Blunds party, which includes Dr. Juo. Mollath, of Meriden, Conn., secretary and director of the company. Mr. Philip Freeenius, W. E. Cadwallader and Wm. H. Jones, of Boston and Connecticut, spent about a week on their property on Upper Maniton lake and; numerous quartz veins, mining plant, had been ill for some months just. etc. They report that their shaft is 95 fort deep, all in pay ore on a quartz adian census figures will show the feet depth, 25 Get long, from the breast in, of which a cress of is new being driven to lest the second value of acvein-

and which shows the again we come toyer 16 feet wide. He I which is highly coln Park, Chicago. He had \$100,000 Ladie's Black Curl Cloth Locke's Unineralized, and without portron, we Go diamonds in his clothing.

A select the geplication of Mr. Blancs relyet collar, pearl buttons, satin linel, party mode manerous

the part of the deficial of gold the the inspector

USED THEIR BAYONETS.

Preforia, Oct. 4. The light at Maga to Nek took place early in the morn ing. A patrol of yeomanry who had proceeded beyond the pickets rode in to a Boer force and were driven buck, The Boers followed them, rushed the pickets and grined a position boon manding the British camp. If was necessary to drive them from this position at all costs and this was done by the Derbyshire regiment and the Scottish Horas

The lighting was at such close quarers that the bayonet was used. This made the e sualties heavy. The name of the Derbyshire regiment for stanneb heroism under disconcerting encumstances was maintained, while the Scottish Horse also did very excellent

Devenish and 17 of his secure who were recently capt and by the thoors at Karoo Poort, have been beleased Two of them who had been contined once before were brutally flagged.

ore showed big tails of gold in the pair. Boiled Down Jinto Readable Paragraphs for Blisy People,

Col. J. S. Strathy, well known in inspected the company's mines, its military circles, died in Montreal. He

An Office despitch says the Can vein, which is eight feet wide on the population to be not less than five and surface, and a drift on the vein at 80 a half millions when all the retains are

> A ment compatibled spicide by shoot ing near the Grant monument at Liu

W. B. kett, a G.T.R. engineer, w. a yard engine at London

and health Inspector (Wir

- n Ottawa Monday), and the city, the of the lests he in connect decided to ask for the resignato control ter show the Gord the Medical Health officer and

Dollars In Odd Shapes.

Under the law a silver dollar may be a grain and a half over weight or a grain and a liaif under weight, and this "limit of solerance" applies to all of our silver coins. In other words, they are not allowed to vary more than that much from standard. In the case of coldpieces, the limit is half a grain ther way up to the eagle, a variation of as much us one grain being permissible in the \$10 and \$20 pieces,

Whenever a fresh batch of dollars is turned out at the mint, samples are forwarded to the treasury at Washington, where they are put through a very curious process. Each dollar is that, weighed on examisitely delicate scales to make sure that it is heavy enough on the country, And which reconstruct and yet not too heavy. Then it is passe, the heir apparent such great delight. ed between two steel rollers again and again until it is flattened out and transformed into a thin strip of silver, a sort of ribbon- a foot and a half in length. Then it is put beneath a lattle machine provided with several small 9 olds of London great illustrated punches, by which hundreds of they papers. The head belonged originally disks are pluched out of the metal to Mr. H. C. Percival, the genial lies:

Now, the object of this performance is to obtain samples of metal from all parts of the dollar, inasmuch as it is conservation that one portion might be the consequence in the presenting it fricher in silver than another. The Bule $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = 0$ the first line is it of the Order disks are shuffed together, and a few recent units in Womapon. The rollowing of them, taken at muchom from the log getter shows here great a the Dale are subjected to an assay. Thus the fineness of the material of the dollar is ascertained with absolute accuracy if a and, the weight having been already i determined, the value and correctness of that coin are perfectly known.

The sample pieces having been found correct, it is inferred that the entire batch of dollars is all right.

Natural Waters.

or loss amount of mirroral matter in co. lution.' Rain water has the small st percentage of solid impurities of any, and therefore it is taken as the standand variety of soft water

The terms soft and bank however as applied to water are selentifically sousidered purely relative.

"soft" when it contains less than one main a the and five-thousandth part of its weight of mineral ingredients and "hard" when it

forming a lather with soap and is therefore spitable for washing purposes, while hard wange will only form a lather, and that imperigetly, with there is he has been endows oming, to considerable dufficulty.

A mifferall water has more than one two thousaulth of its weight of natural dissolved solid, and a neckenal it new cases or smallpox develor water is a pariety of mineral water containing a varying percentage of disbolved natural solid or gaseous drugs.

His Royal Highness Will Learn Something of This District.

The great moose head presented to H. R. H. She Diske of Cornwall sand York, which the Winnipel p pers to do the date to the inner cut instruc-

Witnesday, Oct. 818, 39 Property La

But Porting One

There was As a will be load and measured to be and that I have remember will and York. They must be offer-All natural waters contain a greater "He yell library and boline na chaster where, or cortical Agla, and any paid

The next of an error in tend of sighting one will be a this distribute when the Water is usually reckoned to be mades head and be shaped in the

F. W. Thiompsoxa

Soft water has the property of easily . THE READING CAMP MOVEMENT

Combaring and raining emines in the Rainy River District is "in stewn, This meanment has met with correading rooms were built come at each of thick operate range. These were firted powitic small libraries, daily-One of the stories which Levi Hunds, papers in Free to and English, mage the substantial solution of Bulgatio, was seized by brigands the substantial solution of Bulgatio, was seized by brigands the substantial solution of Bulgation was seized by brigands.

Pump line. We make Pumps of every description and for all

PHMP CATALOCUES and Specifications sent upon request,

We manufacture also THE the NORTHEY GAS CINE cheap, handy,

Company Limited Joronto

MINING MACHINERY

INGERSOLL-SERGEANT

AIR COMPRESSORS

LIDGERWOOD HOISTING ENGINES and CABLEWAYS

JAMES COOPER: MANF'G CO.LIMITED

Catalogues and Estimates on application

Stock carried in Rat Portage. RICHARD HALL

The Rat Portage Hardware Co. LIMITED, RAT PORTAGE.

Don't delay about putting up your Stoves... and don't delay about buying them.....

FURNACES

As in the past our new Idea Furnace..... still re-mains the Best on the market.

Rat Portage Hardware Company Ltd. the interest and a contract of the contract of

Stuart Arbuthnot Machinery Co. up.



PORTABLE BOILERS PORTABLE ENGINES PORTABLE PUMPS Portable Saw Mills Portable Lath Mills

Some Western Agency For-

DODGE Palleys, Selfoiling langers, Scalling, etc. McGREGOR GOURLEY'S Woodworking and Tronworking

Machinery

BEARDMOR'S Leather Belting. PACKARD'S electric lamps

HCORPORATED 1670

Ladies' Heavy Freize Cloth Jackets. elvet collar, double breasted style, at 84.50 tach.

Ladies' Black Curl Cloth Jackets.

with broadcloth tchuning, satin faced,

Ladies Fine Beaver Cloth Jackets elvet cottar, pear) buttons, satin lined,

in black and colored, at \$7.50 cach. Ladies' Handsome Beaver Cloth Jackets, with new loose back and front, in castor and brown, at \$13,50 each.

Ladies' Black and Navy Dress Skirts. made in the New Flare Pattern, perfect fitting, at \$1.50 and \$5 cach. Ladies' Skirts, made of Grey Home smin, in light and dark shades, made in the newest style, at \$5 and 86 each.

HUDSON'S BAY STORES. RAT PORTAGE.

INSURANCE

Mining Stocks bought and

SMOKE

Crandas Dainitas, per box 50 \$3.00 Concha finas Puritanas Espiritualea Roth childs "La Cigarra" per hox 50 3.25 While they we in town Mr. Hinn's A. L. Special

Every Clgar

They report *hal (berrishalt is 96) feet deep all in pay ore on a quartz adian census, figures will slow the vein, which is eight feet wide on the population to be not less than live and surface, and a drift on the vein at 80 a half millions when all the relarning to feet depth, 25 feet long, from the breast in. of which a crossent is now being driven to test the size and value of the vein. and which shows the huartz vein to be over 16 feet wille, all of which is highly mineralized, and neither foot por hang, wiith of diamonds in his clothing, ing wall have yet been reached,

Each of the gogy iction of Mr. Blum's killed by a yard engine at London! party made numerous pan tests of the ore taken indiscriminately from the minecond the dump, which showed gold Pell, of Landon Ledend. every time. Of the great acomber of ... the pan a broad band of gold four the inspector. inches long.

These gentlemen speak in the highest their outerop quartz velos, and of the uniform value of their ore, and the her relich great amount of development work? Principal Grant, of Qaeen's Univerrecomplished, their complete mining sity, continues to improve. equipment, comfortable, and capacious buildings, etc.

Mr. Augustus Trudo, M. E., who has been associated with Mr. Blum since and fatally injected. his first purchase of mining property: in this district and one of the directors under a tree near Kildonau, Man, and of the company, accompanied the party as yet they have not been identified. on their visit to the several mines in the Lake of the woods - He states that the recent discovery of rich gold-bearing ore in the deep levels of the mines of this district climinates every doubt as to the permanency of bus ore do the foot of Niagara cliff. He is sopposits in depth, size and value, Mr. Tendo has always expressed the greatest faith in the future of this district as a permanent factor in the world's gold production, and the steady output of bullion from the Mikado, Sultana and others now working, together with up the most of Wednesday hearing the the good showings from developing case of the King vs. Doherty. On the prospects like the Anglo-Canadian Gold day of the boat race. Mrs. Jefferson. Estates mine, Elizabeth, Golden Horn, who keeps a boarding house over Doland now, this latest, the sensational erry's shoemaker shop, put out a sign. discoveries at the 20th Century mine, "Meals at all Hours," which Doberty

assayer, with a complete assaying fail. The paid the money, equipment.

Big Master mines in the Maniton dis $_{\rm eff}$ guilty, and the Judge sentenced him to trict and their stamp mill, which is other months in the commonwall. Clear Havana Cigars about completed. Their soill, mines The civil docket was as follows. and improvements are a ciedit to the vs. Bank of Ottawa; Gardner y. Web district, and the work is being pushed ster; Scott & Hudson vs. Hooper, and 3.50 by their efficient manager, Mr. William Effacts . Hamilton Model Works 4 00 H. Pickering, who showed Mr. Blum - 1 TI 5.00 party around both on the surface nel $\left| E \right| \Delta$ " 100 10.00 underground, and treat'd them as at " 50 5.50 consteasily.

Portable Shingle Mills Guaranteed Imported Stock in Milling plant at Keewathi and say if medical accounts. party visited the Offawa Mining and Control A. B. Germe and Augus Cut in operation ; the Lane of the Woods! Coly's flour mills, the Sultana and wa Mr. H. M. Howell, K. C., of Wir The signal was passed along in the McVeigb & Walsh Mikado mines, and the Keewatin Powel nibeg, appeared for the plaintift to take er Co'y's water power, where 10,000 h. ment was reserved. p. has been developed at a cost of nearly a quarter of a million dollars. Mr. tion of American citizens residing one, but was a success in every particu-M.B. -- A first class 30 h.p. Locomethes Soiler, secondhand, ready to sale; a Bargain Granda Hermanos y Ca. Blum and his party left on Monday Rainy River were received.

An Ottowa desputch says the Can-

A man committed suicide by shooting near the Grant meaniment at Lincoln Park, Chicago, 41b had \$100,000

W. Birkett, a G.T.R. Engineer, a

Liberse and health Inspector Was

Eight new cases for smallnex develpannings made not some failed to show, oped in Ottawa Monelay, and the city, a tail of gold. One of the tests from connecl decided to ask for the resignawe comes of vein matter showed in though the Medical Health officer and

terms of the substantial equalition of in Bulgaria, was seized by brigands the improvements at their mine, the recently and is held the ransom. The great innuber and the large size of people of the United States are sutscribing towards a fund of \$100,090 for

Peter Guntee was drawn into the vlinder of a thresher near Neeptwa

The remains of a man were found

An insuccessful attempt was made o hum the Earners slevator it 'ypress River.

Patrick Deman was found dead at posed to have fallen over.

THE SESSIONS.

The attention of the court was taken in oversthe accuracy of his indigment, pulled down. Mrs. Jefferson remon-Among Mr. Blum's party is Mr. strated and he slapped her. Ex-Coun-Orton Smalley, assayer, of Boston cillor Sharp then interfered and called Mass, recently with Prof. Curnichael's Doherty a coward, who reupon the deof Hoston, Mass, who is being in talled him a block eye. Judicity was fined gate labeled to the Twentieth Century mines as some of the labeled to the labeled with the struck of the labeled him a block eye. Judicity was fined gate labeled to looking up his folk one day Expected by we have enchanged a build?

In the charge of horsebreaking, the reason." Mr. Blum and his party visited the against Battel the prisoner was found

and force is composed of A

1. W. Hamble of Nichols A. Belson, C. H. Capenter, W. A. Berry, O. L. Martley, John Devel. [16] W. Fallerton, T. G.

as allance to want and whentinging. considered purely relative, we are

"soft" when it contains less than one train at the mile five-thousandth part of its weight of mineral ingredients and "hard", when it contains, more than one four-thou-

forming a lather with scap and is if therefore shitable for washing purposes, while hard water will only form a lather, and that imperfectly, with Centre who has been endearousing t onsiderable difficulty.

A mineral water last more than one two-thousaulith of its weight of natural dissolved solids, and a medicinalwater is a warlety of mineral water. containing a vacying percentage of the Siderable, success bost year three solved natural solid or gascons drugs. gooding rooms were tould some at which

Buttered Side Up.

the youth of Landel Websign. 'One day,' said it e old man.

was taking broakfast at the tayora kent by Daniel's father, Daniel and but torother Ezeklel, who were little boys mappy that you. with dirty faces and smarks bair comto the table and asked me for brend "good mark South me inchallings. A and butter.

"I complied with their request, little thinking that they would become very distinguished mea. Daniel dropped his piece of brend on the sandy flowe. and the buffered side of comse was down. He boked at it a moment, then pleked it up and showed to be un, say, "eguted. The object/is to higher a fair

place of brend buttered on both sides; whether has surrounding these may then If I let it fall one of the buttered butth her oling unburses they can be ades will be up." [

Where Americana Ara Modeat.

The American is shy of proclaiming o the world his deepest sentiments and other aby the government. The work superstitions, if he has any. He profers to take lilmself oither as a joke or as a matter of business, Hence when that are Deportured at a different by he has a town to name he calls it the Demonion Touchas Association. "Smithvilled or "New Eristof" by many and the compling conversation and netually happened in the case of one town, "O. K." He may believe in a fecal ghost, he may love his wife, he may admire the view from his windows and pine when torn from the woods and mountains among which he passed his year's operations. We W. J. Hell. borhood, but he does not want to put langue man of Cartier is freaturer, and those emotions into the postoffice do (Mr. E. A. Hardy W.A., or Lindsdy is

Why He Didn't Go to Church.

at the Twenfieth Century mines as 850 and costs, or in default 60 days in he said, "I have no seen yeart the Ku's for some tlane and wad like to know

Weel, sir," answered Righard, "I tine three decided objections to goinfirstly, I dlana believe in bein whom we does a' the talkin; secondly, I diama believe in st muchle . . . , an, thirdly an in conclusion, 'twas there I got my

telegraphing With Cannong.

When the first vessel completed the passage of the then new Urie canal in 1825; there being to such thing as a telegraph in these days, the news was communicated to New York and to Ruffalo by cannens placed within hearing of each other all the way along In the case of Nish v. Bruk of Ottas from Albany to each of the other citi way from Albany to New York city and back again to Albany in 58 min-Several applications for naturalizate utes. The experiment was a costly

millipliere this distribute, twhere the Water is usually reckound to be my for head will the shipped or the

Vious truly. CF. W. Tironesos

Soft water has the property of easily of HE READING CAMP MOVEMENT

Mes Prepartick Tt. A. of Non in Tanga gaileat out, deitheter thumbering and robbing following the th Rolly River District is in town. (This morement has med with eeu, of their separate camps. These were titled op with shell libraries, daily One of the stories which Levi Hutches paper- in French and English mage ins, the old time electionier of Con acting picture and games? The One cord, N. H., deligated to nell related to tarte gave indicates spending slandare in books, and bumbermen and before reasolunti differ to assist. Problem is below middle to a month, 27 midling

The lumbertiers of the province/will eacht i h Albern engrifed to femiliet changing of eases of boyd resolving fromas Salabia a radius of twelve hales from. Natural Control Mr. J. F. McDonaldy M A . s vols medalist the political School of their complexity has been test to ascertain whether instruction "What a pity! Please give me at a practicable of the course, and had to avoid the Jiquor Imbit.

Norther the agent for the instructor. is the massioning of any church of one. was taken up andependently but has off velocities in the design of the changles. As increase of public . त्ताक हेर्न कर कर्नुक्षी होत. कर विशेष्ट क्षेत्रक को against and viet of contailings.

About School o is readed for this? hly, a neighbor this movement.

Mr. 1933. Cameroni, Pressorar of the Bar Partings Lundber Co., is real of the

A P THE THAPE CHEEN OF TERTAN POWER!

·DR:

Highest Honors World's Fair tiold Medal, Midwinter Fair Avoid Baking Ponders containing They are injurious to beatth

lasted every Tuesday and Friday by the Miner Publishing Co. of Rat Portage, Limited.

Largest Circulation in the Ontario Gold Fields.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One year, \$2.00: Six months, \$1.00; Three months, 30 cents, in advance. The addressiabel shows the date your subscription expires, Adi papers continued until express order to discontinue, and all arrearage is paid.

ADVERTISING RATES.

First Page, \$1.50 per inch per month: page; 2 3 and 4, \$1.25. Professional cards, one such of less \$12 per year. All casual insertions [42] per time Write-ups \$1.50 per running inch.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT., OCT. 8, 1901

FISHING AS A SPORT.

A gentleman in Winnipeg, who has a summer residence on Lake of the Woods, writes a private letter to The Miner asking us to take up the question of "fishing as a sport," and to use our editorial influence to induce the government to stock the lake with fish that will rise to the fly. "It is a pity," writes our correspondent, "that your beautiful lake does not possess this feature, as it would make 'a difference in attracting such an amount of custom to your town that it would be easily perceptible,

A few years ago the Ontario government made a move in this direction, and Mr. Margach was instructed to do the work. Mention was made in these columns at that time that the numerous small lakes were being stocked with black bass, but we have not heard since of anyone catching the fish. This may be, however, because the location of the stocked lakes was not known, and if this is so, Mr. Margaen should inform the Board of Trade and purchase was intended for the cat's the local press as to the whereabouts of the fishing grounds so that they could be properly advertised. Mr Margach claims that black bass would not live in Lake of the Woods on account of its waters becoming permeat ed with a vegetable matter in the fall of the year. He adds by way of suggestion that he knows of several streams within a day's journey from town which could be stocked with speckled trout.

The Board of Trade shouldinstitute an enquiry in the Black bass and little lake question, and find out the exact state of affairs so that in the event of there being good fishing in the stocked waters, we could ladvertise to that effect. And we would suggest, that Mr. Margach be interviewed, and invited to state his opinion before the Board of Trade regarding his excellent idea in regard to the speckled trout for our running streams.

FUNNY AUS.

Under the head, "Situations Wanted Female," which in itself strikes us as somewhat obscure in its meaning, an on ordinary food Such chiladvertisement, which for ambiguity dren grow right if treated right. makes a Delphic oracle look like 30

RAT PORTAGE MINER ing wife and family all the time when men are not on strike and only gets a chance to work when other men are striking is not much of a man, or else the country in which lie lives is a mighty poor one for the working man. Monseigneur Ireland's article, in view of the fact that it is written about the condition of labor and capital in the United States, is not very compli mentary to that country.

The Fruits of War.

Novara, in northern Italy. There in a wheatfield the farmers have plowed up skulls of men until they have piled up a pyramid 10 or 12 feet high. Over this acramid some one has built a can ony to keep off the rain. These were the skulls of young men of Savoy, Sardinia and Austria-men of 18 to 35 years of age, peasants from the farms and workmen from the shops-who met at Novara to kill each other over a matter in which they had very little concern.

Further on Erenchmen, Austrians and Italians fell together at Magenta, the bue of the blood that flowed out under the olive trees. Go over Italy as you will there is scarcely a spot not crimsoned by the blood of France, scarcely a railway station without its pile of French skulls. You can trace them across to Egypt, to the foot of the pyramids. You will find them in Germany-at Jena and Leipsic, at Lutzen and Bautzen and Austerlitz. You will find them in Russia at Moscow, in Belgium at Waterloo. "A boy an stop a bullet as well as a man," said Napoleon. And with the rest are the skulls and bones of boys "era evening to be trodden like the grass."

There's Etiquette In All Trades. A lady who imprudently explained to a fishmonger the other day that her dinner was a little burt at receiving it wrapped up in a newspaper. "I understood, as it wasn't for yourself, mum, replied the fishmonger loftly, "we never wraps up in brown when it's for catal"-London Chronicle.

The Human Jaw. The human jaw is very loosely socketed in the skull, so that it is often dislocated by the mere act of yawning. Not being intended for biting purposes, offensive or defensive, no attention seems to have been paid by nature to making it fast.

Children's Fertilizer.

That's a good name for Scott's Emulsion. Children are like young plants. Some will grow in ordinary soil. Others need fertilizers.

The nature of some children | me prevents them from thriving

OUR FATHER CARETH. SIMPLE GEOGRAPHY

Why Not Teach It as Ballway Mon Make

Map geography in its natural state is the dryest subject the school boy encounters until he reaches trigono metry, says The Toronto Globe. It is better now than in the good old days, when its study meant the learning of a series of songs without music, setting forth the names of capes, rivers, counties and capitals. Railroading and the kindergarten suggest expedients by which the study might be made at once simple Not long ago I visited the town of and pleasant. The construction of a railway time table, which in the haished state is almost as complicated as trigonometry itself, is effected by means of pieces of string and common brass pins. A sheet of paper the size of a blackboard is stretched along one side of a room. It is divided by horizontal and vertical lines into a vast number of little oblongs. Each vertical line represents a minute, and each horizontal line a mile. In the left margin are printed the numes of the stations, each at its proper mile from the terminus. Along the top of the sheet are written the hours of the day. To build a time say for the Toronto and Hamilton line, with twenty trains each way, would require forty pieces of string and more than a paper of pins. A train, we will say, is to leave each end of the line at S a. m, and make the run in lifty minutes crossing midway and making no Strings are stretched from the intersections of the vertical line marked VIII., and the horizontal lines opposite Toronto and Hamilton, crossing half-way up the sheet. terminating at the opposite ends of the eight-fifty vertical line. If there are stops to be made little jogs are in the line of the string by pinning ; it vertically opposite the station for the number of minutes the train lies there. The faster the train the more vertical the ignominious little piece of string that absolutely controls its course.

should not geography be taught by means of outline mans. or small, and materials as large simple and inexpensive ployed by great reteacher could easily map before the papils' do it thems might be represented by a bons fastened down by too on little baber ba of the towns they p different colors v rajlway syst america west I

autlines " 4

acteri · of ev

tance of two todes. This was the

orested.

The these smod beginnings, what
arting progress has been under
the next state in the numerical state of the progress was been to the progress which shows the progress was been to the progress which shows the progress was shown in the progress that the progress of the progress The next step in the improvement to the telephone will be wireless telephone. This is not an inventor's and is semiestar as via a transition of the telephone will be wireless telephone. This is not an inventor's and is semiestar as via a transition of the telephone will be wireless to be seen that the time and is semiestar as via a transition of the telephone will be under the semiestar as via a transition of the semiestar as via a semiestar as via as via a semiestar as via a

The sparrow falls, a brief life quickly end-Some wanton hand has blotted out the

The throbbing pulse of life for aye suspended. Unhanded and unmorred, except by One.

"Your Father eareth" for a sparrow fail-His eye hath marked the dying agony

Which rent the veil of life in threes aptalling

And choked for ever its sweet symphony. Poor fluttering heart! at rest, at rest for

ever. Life's fifful fever ended soon for thee. So speedily for thee its cords must sever: Was it to set thy tunefulness at liberty We know not, little bird. Thy Maker

knoweth;

We only understand he loves and cares; Bis brooding "spirit like the wild wind

Interpreting all dumb, beseeching pray-

If He so care for these weak, tiny creatures, O, soul distressed! doth he not care for

Can He not read in all thay anguished fea Thy mute appeal against the things that

Your Father careth," cease thy vain re

pinings:
All that thou needest He will send to Mercy and love through all the intertwin-

Of the mysterious working out of His de-

EARLY DAYS OF TELEPHONES.

Prof. A. Graham Bell Tells About Putting in His First at Brantford.

The following is from the pen of Prof. A. Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone;

It is exactly 26 years since I, put on my first telephone. At that time I was visiting at my

father's house in Brantford, a small. vity in Ontario, Canada, tained the permission of the Canadian Covernment to use a telegraph miles long that extended from Brantflyd to a neighboring vil-

lage. We put up our apparatus in a friend's house, kindly loaned for the purpose, and as it was over half a mile from the telegraph line, we were obliged to lengthen the wire.

No additional telegraph wire was available, so what do you think we asod? You would never guess,

could find nothing in the hardware but stovepope wire, and we ad so buy up all the stovepipe wire Brantford to make our line long

We did not trouble to put up posts. but tacked the wire to the fence. The communication that took place over this first telephone were was not a conversation, but a monologue, as no had the transmitter only at one end, and the receiver at the oth-

. In this was the first message was on force the telephone, and I have been fold that Brantford calls itself and the could have been fold that Brantford calls itself and the could have been some the could have been could be converted to the converted to the could be converted to the co the Telephone City C ever-since. That has in 15

A sh time afterwards Mr. (.cs of Boston strung a trace phone wire from his office in Boston to his house in Cambridgeport, a dis- Noot 1 test conty Dr. 1 c. first telephone wire to be permanent-



There's many a successful business man who sits in his city office and lethis mind slip back to his boyhood days on the farm. How good it felt to live What an appetite he had! How good everything tasted! How sound his sleep How eagerly he rose with the sun and raced with him through the long day. And now he's a successful man. But he can't sleep. He doesn't enjoy his food. His stomach is weak, nerves are shaken, and he no more rises with the sun to race eagerly against him His vitality is low and now and again his heart seems to plunge in his breast as if it would break loose. That's the price he has paid for success.

The mischief of the whole business is

that he buys "tablets" of one sort or another to "aid" his digestion, and indulges in bromides and other nerve stimulants, just to hold himself together, and wonders why he seems to be getting

The whole trouble with such a man generally lies in what is called a " weak " stomach. The food he eats does not nourish him because it is only partially digested and assimilated. No man can, be stronger than his stomach, because it is in the stomach and allied organs of digestion and mutrition that strength is

made from the food which is eaten.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discov ery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the strength of the body in the only way strength can be restored by food which is perfectly digested and assimilated, when the diseased stomach (with its allied organs) is cured of disease. It is a blood-making, body-build-ing medicine, masmuch as blood is made from food and the body is built up by blood. It is not a stimulant, containing neither alcohol or any other narcotic.

NO OTHER DOOTOR FOR ME.

"Last spring, cirtly, I review to my feelings and condition," says Mp. A. J. Vamberwater, vij and vost brision Street, Chienco, III, "and you, advised me to take br. sheres & Golden Metked! bow! felt, I am happy to say, I am getting to feel dose. In all I have taken six boiltes of the 1th - very and four to five video the little." It is not been seen to be supported by the say of the little of the control of the say of the little of the very and four to five video the little. The very and four to five video the little to be very and four to five video to the little to be very and four to five video to the little to be very and four to five video to the little to be very and four to five video to the little you are looking. What in the world have you be calcing?" I telephent I have been doctoring with Dr. R. V. Pierce of Buffalo, N. V. Why, and the little video to the doctoring with Dr. R. V. Pierce of Buffalo and the very support of the very support of

HAD GIVEN UP HOPE.

"I will express my thanks to you for the

Furs! Furs! Furs

We now have the Largest Stock of Furs in Rat Portage

WE HANDLE HIGH CLASS FURS ONLY...

Gentlemen's Fur-Lined Coats a Specialty.

MERCHANT Hall, TAILOR, and FURRIER

Mistakes **COST** Money

GET YOUR PRINTING MINER JOB DEPT. AND YOU WILL MAKE SO MISTAKE.

BOYS

CANADIAN A

Cheap: Rates

Old .: Country

PanAmerican S MY .: Exhibition.

Buffalo.

Excursion .: Rates

East .: and .: West INCLUDING

GALLEORNIA TAPAN AND ALISTRALIA

First Class Sleeping Cars on all Trains to Montreal, Toronto, Vancouver and Seattle, Wash.

Tourist Gars to Vancouver, Seattle, Montreal and Toronto.".

For full information apply to the nearest C.P.R. agent or write to WM. STITE, C.E. McPHFRSON Ass't, Gen. Gen. Bassenger Pass, Agt. Agent. Winnipest Winnipeg

All Meals on Our Dining Cars are Served a la Carte

And our "Flyer," daily from St. Pau and Minneapolis to the Pacific Const. carries luxurious Buffet-Smoking 13 brary Cars and Palace Sleening Cars. No change of cars between St. Pau and Scattle. Only two nights on the train. Time cards and full informs, tion from all agents of the 😾

Great Northern Railway

town which could be steeled with

speckled trout. The Board of Trade should institute an enquiry in the Black bass and little lake question, and find out the exact state of affairs so that in the event of there being good fishing in the stocked waters, we could adverfire to that effect. And we would Suggest that Mr. Margach be interviewed and invited to state his opinion before the Board of Trade regarding his excellent idea in regard to the speckled trout for our running streams.

FUNNY AUS

Under the head, "Situations Wanted Female," which in itself strikes us as somewhat obscure in its meaning, an advertisement, which for ambiguity nyckes a Delphic prace look like 30 cents, appears in the Minneapolis Tritame. It reads: 1

Wanted Washington to take home. Call or address 1523 Fourth St. S. First-class work."

Does the lady mean George Washmeton? and if she does, would she take that here home with her, or would she have the father of the republic take home something which she feels a delirev in mentioning, or did she forget to write it down when she was making

the wants, and if so we have an old one down in the cellar which she may have it a bargain. Another:

"Lady wants washing said froning for Mondays, and Thursdays. 1415 Clinton Ave. S. Minneapolis.

We are somewhat eager to find out why a lady should require to be washed and ironed for Moriday's and Thurs days more than on any other days in the week.

WATCHING THE MARKET,

The financial correspondent of a great American pewspaper cables as follows from London, Eng.: " Money was in active demand to-

day and the supply short." Strange, that the money market

here should be in the sume condition it is in London; Engr. Is it merely a . neldence or is it the bould of Empire drawing us so tight that the financial actories of Rat Portage must in future tool every throb and every "thready systempation" of the world's commo

Anyway, we'll wait a few days, so as to be on the safe side, before we send and our subscription accorder.

LAROR SOPRISTRIES

Arcirbishop Ireland takes the stand is the North American Review, that workingmen who are on strike have not the right to persuade non-union men to stay away from the abandoned works. His Grace save that a poor man whose wife and family are stary ing has a perfect right to exercise his perogative as a citizen, and to go and take the place of him who is striking for higher wages or shorter hours as the case may be. The archbishop may be right, but the man who has a stary- The T. Milburn Co., Limsed, Toronto, Ont.

seems to have been paid by nature to making it fast. Children's Fertilizer.

NOT DEITH IBIGITIES for piene ber

offensive or defensive, no attention

That's a good name for Scott's Emulsion, Children are like young plants. Some will grow in ordinary soil. Others need fertilizers. The nature of some children

prevents them from thriving on ordinary food Such children grow right if treated right.

All they need is a little fertilizer-a little extra richness. Scott's Emulsion is the right treatment.

Fertilizers make things grow. That's just what Scott's Emulsion does. It makes children grow in flesh, grow in strength, grow rich blood, grow in mind, grow happy. That's what we make it for.

Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE. Toronto, V

A Standard Remedy Used in Thousands of Homes in Canada.



CURES

Diarrhosa, Dysentery, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Cramps, Colic, Sea Sickness and all Summer Complaints.

Its prompt use will prevent a great deal of unnecessary suffering and often save life.

PRICE. - 35c.

angles would suggest capes; rough outlines of cork would make exceltent modificate ranges; bits of cilt would serve for gold regions; charactoristic leaves for forests, samples of grain for agricultural belts, bits of net - for fishing grounds, typical Lices' for different pages of menhundreds of devices would occur to the teacher to make the subject graphic, of if the cargestions cause from the pupils so much the better. The flartened at the poles and already diyided by parallels of longitude, cas; an experimental globe on which contiments occans cable and stenue hoat routes could be traced, or pastof on rainy Fridays, are almost too Capitalisis employ such means as these when they desire to convey a knowledge of geography to mombers of Parliament. Why should not teachers adopt the same plan in earling boys and girls? is

enough.

was in 1875.

across short distances,

mercial purposes.

turns

forms

by erected

A short time afterwards Mr. Chas.

Williams of Boston strung a tele-

tance of two miles. This was the

first telephone wire to be permanent-

amazing progress has been made!

Since these small beginnings, what

The next step in the improvement

of the telephone will be wireless tele-

phony. This is not an inventor's

dream. It has already been done

In the immediate future it will be

made practical for social and 'com-

Elements of National Strength.

is almost startling, under modern

commerce, and furnishes the motive

force of the great mayal engines of

modern warfare. Iron in its various

part of life. To cut off the supply

until science had found substitutes

Echoes From Australia.

elements of national strength.

acres of gold-bearing land.

Western Australia's coast

many parts abounds with turtles.

Western Australia is the only col-

Western Australia's aborigines,

notwithstanding many years of mis-

The value of house property in

London is put at £153 per inhabi-

tant.. This is a record for European

Lieux.-tol. Drury.

Light Coll, C.W. Deury, C.B., went

Rees Swarmed on Him

the street he saw a swarm of thees

He queen settled on him, and her

Neesam, a Thirsk hairdresset

Australia, with £245 per head,

There are two products of the earth upon which, to an extent that

the fortunes of nations.

These are coal and iron. Coal

the wheels of industry and

cuters into every material

Blue Nose Progress.

Roy, Dr. Carman's recent abservations at Sydney, C. B. surprised and delighted him. He had been there some years ago, when the town was quiet enough. Now it has burst all former bounds and leaped beyond the old lines over hills and stretched along caves and harborso, "A few years ago, with a population of times or four thousand, it is now twelve to difteen thousand When all was then still, now blast -, fortaces of enormous power lift. That you might call a horrid form. And darken the day and illumine night. The roll of the tremendous, mochinery has banished the stillness. and the rattle of ceaseless trains of these would paralyze the world with their loads of coal and iron ore hilly thrust inside sweet sentiment for business. The coke ovens make night large quantities and power to make larid with their flames, and the steel plant gives promise of a world-wide adustry, One begins to think of a Prinsburg or Newcastle-upon-Tyne The doctor had just returned from

British Columbia and the Northwest before going Fast, and feels that the agricultural and mineral expansjon of the West is well balanced by the mining and maritime enterprises of the East, Newfoundland islative assembly. nron ore and Nova Scotia coal will be a spower for the British Empires on this continent, as also the vast sionary work, are, with the exception resources of the Northwest prairies of 51, returned as pagans. and the British Columbia mountains, now fast drawing hardy settlers to build up, if we prove t on capitals, but is beaten by Sydney, A. Lei Grone

Property Street, Accounts

. West ne Sir File J. A. to South Africa in command of the time Canadian Artiflery, under Lieut -Col. · t blend Lessard. He was born July 18 10 % 3 - 1-1856, in New Brunswick, entered the ad go on. 1874. and joined "A" Battery as Note licutement in 1877. He gained his 1. 1.05seen service in the Northwest Rebeler if he cuid! hand as p lion, and secured his brevet liguten-...s de r epic poem atj ant-colonelcy in 1892 . He was apd The Voya non-bia pointed commandant of the Royal n will be pule School of Artillery at Kingston in f Dhobal." some time dur- 1893. of this poem f ! The G. is "The trebt of Asia. i is d in Africa The of he is represent, by a sea captain. has had a remarkable experience, the devoice on African prinwhich proves him to save a wonder Selven to be dave ful presence of mind. While crossing

Millions of Labsters

The Government lotister hatchery | calm and still, and was soon covered at Cariboo, Nota Scotia, has this with the creatures. An expert appar-Season but but one hundred mullion ist was fetched, and he transferred lobsters along the coast of Nova the queen into a hive, where she was Scotin, New Brunswick, and Prince followed by the rest. The discreet Mr. Nesseya went his way unharmed. Edward Island.

in Brantford to make our line long We did not trouble to put up posts, but tacked the wire to the fence. The communication that took place over this, first telephone wire was not a conversation, but a monologue, as we had the transmitter only one end, and the receiver at the oth-In this way the first message was

"Last spring, early, Liwente you my feelings and condition," says, Mr. A. J. Vanderwater, 873. West Direston Steert, Chingo, Ill., and you be supported by the state of the st sent over the telephone, and I have been told that Brantford calls itself "Telephonic, City" ever@since. phone wire from his office in Boston to his house in Cambridgeport, a dis-

HAD GIVEN UP HOPE.

"I will express my thanks to you for the kindly advice you have given me in regard to my case," write- Miss Carrie J. Wharmon, of my case, "write- Miss Carrie J. Wharmon, of my case," write- Miss Carrie J. Warndt to you last spring I was lin a terribe date of health. Had given up all hope of ever being better. I spit up my food all the time date of health. Had given up all hope of ever being better. I spit up my food all the time had sick theadashe every other week, in fact, my head never felt clear, and I was perfectly desired my more desired and form of the spit of the constantly. I had to me date of the my food constantly. I had to me date of the my food of the spit of the my food and got lyour advice. booke of what your medicine had done for others, so I wavie you and got your advice. Baught two bottles of "Golden Medical Discove When I had dissibed taking the two bottles the spitting up had entirely stopped and my head was much better. I believe your medicines are "t carefully read the books you sent me and shall always speak a good word for the 'Golden Medical Discovery' whenever I have a chance, while. It might induce some one sets to try your medicine who was suffering as I did. It was be the rethinmally of others that I was

induced to try it. I shall always rely upon your advice and feel safe to do as you tell nie."

for Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, its causes and consequences.

for them. The possession of them in them available constitute important

Victoria, Australia, has 1,051,246

TME Library new contains over 2,000 well with the inset publications on Monday after 1 to the first publications on Monday after 1 non-from 5 to 6, 2nd, on Wednesday and attenday evenines from 520 to 220.

The Subscription Fee is \$2.00 per year, pay; addessired year theoretic per to the public and is supplied with the deading Daily Journals of Canada and of the United Suries, and with a large, number of Monthly Magazines. The 100 to 1 at high library is the public and the public and the public and the public suries, and with a large, number of Monthly Magazines. ony under the commonwealth that does not pay its members of the lego to at night. President. See'y, and Librarian

WERNER. M.F.A. THIBAUDEAU.

IN THROUGH TOURIST CARS

EVERY TUESDAY MORNING

Deive Minneapolis 930, St. Paul, New Brunswick Garrison Artiflery in 1030 A. m., and arrive San Francisco 12:25 p. m. Friday; Los Angeles, 7:00 majority in May, 1889, after having a. m. Saturday, thus

Avoiding Sunday Travel

Unexcelled Dining Car Service. Comfort and Laxuey in Sleeping Cars. The Best of Everything in Equipment and Service.

14 Hours quicker time than last year The Short, Quick Route

to California. Hiustrated Folder and Map of Califor

nia Free and All Information at subjects followed suit. He stead

Ata Nicollet Av., Minneapolis Ticket | 382 Robert St., St. Paul. Offices | or address

T. W. TEASDALE, General Passenger Agent, St. Paul. Minn.

UUOI Served a la Carte

And our "Flyer," daily from St. Pao and Minneapolis to the Paritie Coast carries luxurious Buffet Smoking Le biary Cars and Palace Sleeping Cai . No change of cars between St. Pan-GET YOUR PRINTING and Seattle. Only two nights on the train. Time cards and full informa-AT THE MINER JOB tion from all agents of the DEPT. 'AND YOU WILL

Great Northern Railway

or from F. II WHITNEY, General Passenger Agent, St. Pauli Minn,



Round Trip Executsion Rates to Points South, East and West

> Through California Tourist Car every Wednesday . . .

Oyean tickets to all points.

Trains arrive and depart from the Canadian Northern Depot, Water street, Winnipeg, as follows: Leaves Winnipeg daily at 1:15 p.m.

Arrives Winnipegdailyat.1580 p.m. For further information apply to any Canadian Northern Ticker Agent.

CHAS. S. FEE. G. P. & T. A. H. SWINFORD. General Agents Winnipey.

Wood's Phosphodine,

SACRIFICE .

MAKE NO MISTAKE.

BOYS

Toronto

Saturday Night....

and you and other enterprising people

may positively EARN MONEY handling

The terms are very favorable and the paper is popular. Just now running a

scries of articles on Egypt, Palestin

and Italy, and readers are greatly in terested. If you wish to

Make Money

in this respectable way write for our

TORONTO SATURDAY NIGHT,

WAISTS!

TORONTO

pamphlet telling all about it. Address

This is the season for shirt waists, and every woman ought to know what are the lafest styles and goods for this must necessary article. We will send FIKE to any woman who will send us her name and ad-

woman who war seng us nor mane and ag-dress and a 2c. startif to pay postage, a sam-ple copy of "LAREDELA MODE," the flu-cit fashion magazine in the word, which gives hundreds of different designs, many colored plates, and full information, about

rear, at all newsdealers,

MORSE-BROUGHTON CO.

East Nineteenth Street. New York

CIRCULATION DEPT.

SHIRT

Over 600 boys and agents at work

The Great

Illustrated

Weekly Paper

of Canada is

Two miles from Hilliard House Splendid Dairy Possibilities,

Good place for Chicken Banche, Good place for Chicken Banche. Woods Phosphodire is sold in Ital Partage HAY - Enough Hay can be grown in V. E. Woods, J. Weener, Jos. Johnson and V. Coute, Piongists. me year to half pay for farm.

12) acres in all: 30 acres for hav: 300 bushels potatoes have been grown, to

HOUSE 30x24, 11 stories, frame cost \$1,100,00 four years ago; cellar, 20x00, cool, dry and spring in it.

BARN 20x50, log. Call or write for particulars

S. S. CUMMINS RAT PORTAGE.

The Great English Remely.
Sold and recommended by all originates in Canada. Only reliable mediator diseases a forms of Servania Washiness. All effects of attack of the Canada. Only in the Canada Can

Cook's Cotton Root Compound Ook's Cotton Root Osmpuna.

I sancesfully used mobility by overprint druggist for costs of the safe forpoint in a safe for safe for the safe fortor i, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cet,
stamps. The Cook Company vintage, forsafe for safe for the safe for the safe forsafe for the safe forsafe forsafe

No. 1 and No. 2 is sold in Rat Portage by W. Coates, Joseph Johnson, J. E. Wood and J. Worner, Drugie a.



Riaht Here

in be seen everything in woolens tailor in the biggest city in the world can't show anything better. make better

SUITS TO ORDER

either. He can impress one with hi style and charge bigger prices, but his ple a matter as in the baskets. goods or the fit of his garments are no better than we can give

At \$25.00

A samule order will prove our words

M. Nicholson

Current Converse.

BY OBSERVER.

Miss Moore, of Winnipeg, the young tady who is visiting at Dr. Gunne's, Centre Fort street, is in receipt of a letter from her brother, who is in the South African constabulary. He graphically describes the taking of a under Seatgent-Major Meiville, and the son street. re-capture by a force of 600 Boets. The Canadians had two of their number killed fourteen wounded and four of our Winnipeg enchanges : taken prisoners. Meiville's horse was shot under him, and he stood it bay Holy Triaity church at 7 o'clock Tues. show in himself. Miss Emma Mathes, lef in this country, the one and then surrendered. The Boers eldest daughter of Mr. Frank E. Bray, in everything else she did this week, acc fame formed at Coventry. stripped him and let him go. Miss secretary of the Lake of the Woods the feminine life and soul of the play. Moore's brother says that Meiville has Milling company, was united in mar She flits about the stage like a ray of been recommended for a commission.

Miss Mathes suffered a bad attack of the gold mining fever while she was There and jourchased an undeveloped claim on Lake of the woods. She told "Observer" that she intended to float acompany to operate the Clara Mathes claims and would sell stock in every , Town and city slie plays in until enough money is raised to make it a paying sisters. Jessie and Alberta, made a ed. The part of Col. Pattee was takmine. It is sincerely to be hoped that. she is as successful in her mining as she is at acting, and then Clara Mathes stock will be worth considerable over

Mrs. Ferguson informs, me that she has almost completely recovered from fonce. dier many, friends will be de-

olay to Mr. Oswald Partington, of e Partington Supply Co. Miss Part ington, a sister of the groom, was also partied at the same time to a Mr. Yates, a native of England. Mr. and Mrs. Partington will have their permanent residence in Rat Portage.

For table decoration a new vagary has been noticed in the hanging centre piece. It consists of a square shallow basket made from birch bark and supported from the chandelier or ceiling by ribbons attached to the basket. In the bottom of the basket a shallow basket filled with cut flowers. Any of pany to the opera house. the Japanese bulbs that grow and bloom in water can be successfully that's new this season. The biggest cut flowers, besides having a perennial tory of the Stuarts, bringing before bloom. description. Miniature canoes inchirch the people that easy going monarch, Can't balk, easily procumible here, are I Charles II, and some of his lady think, much prettier than the basket, friends; and the old friend of school of the Very Rev. S. Reynolds Hole and an arrangement to hold sacred days, when we were studying history. Dean of Rochester, A district visit lilies or even hyacinths, is just as sim-

> A'retired plumber tays that drain greasy water into the sink, and says the pipe may be cleared by pouring Miss Mathes played "Nell," her clever at length transpired that her husthe trap, allowing no water to run sending a thrill through the audience. until next morning, when it should be She was ably supported by the entire them from being killed by the frost

Mr. J. W. Stone and Miss Bertha Fitzgerald were married Wednesday night by Rev. J. W. B. Page at the residence of the bride. Miss Alice Baker was bridesmaid and Mr. Agav Fitzgerald supported the groom. The happy couple will take up their resi-

Mrs. J. J. H. McLean, of Winnipeg, Boer larger by forty-two of the boys is visiting Mrs. W. A. Brown, Mathe-

The following is reproduced from one

father's arm and Ven. Archdeacon the stage as well as on it. Fortin read the marriage service, Miss Mr. Nelson had the heroic Strath Maggie McLanghlin, of Rat Portage, com to play, and of course, in such was bridesmaid, and the groom was capable hands nothing but the fullest supported by Mr. W. E. Bray, brother justice to the part could be expected of the bride. Two of the bride's little from him, and no one was disappoint-Robt. Fletcher, organist of the church, manner; and that of his wife, Mrs. played the wedding march as the party Pattee, by Miss Miller, who appeared reception was held at the residence of previous roles. "Wally Astorbilt,"

CURIOUS CITY GARDENS Music and Drama.

The three nights engagement of the Clara Mathes Dramatic Company proved a big success, both from managerial and public points of view. The cosy Hilliard theatre was filled to the doors every night and the plays presented were without a doubt lit to rank with the best ever produced in Rat Portage, and Mr. Hilliand deserves

Tuesday night, drew a crowed house. used and so save the expense of buying It dealt with a few chapters in the hising sentence of death. The play is the costumes and setting beautiful, as the weather was bitterly cold. flushed thoroughly with a current of company, who worked throughout unselfishly, and consequently, successfully. Mr. Harold Nelson, as King Charles, an unenviable role, was excellent, his acting being consistent and ercise their horticultural ingenuity to the life as we know it in history. There is a charm of manner and state ly grace about Mr. Nelson when he is half-bricks. In various parts of the on the stage which makes him unique country, notably at Nottingham, among actors. As Lord Jeffries, Mr. there are cottage gardens three Kennedy appeared at his best: his make-up was splendid and his acting are invited to come and have a

Sergeant Rafferty, captured the hon- them plays, sad havor with ors of the evening in this bill with his owners' scanty leisure. A pretty wedding was solemnized in funny comedy work. He was a whole with palms and flowers in honor of the to make one think that she must be teries occasion. The bride entered on her lingenuous and altogether lovely off

charming pair of flower girls. Mr. en by Mr. Haight in an acceptable done in a direct plate with the nice left the church. After the ceremony a to better advantage in this than in her Mail. the bride's parents, 622 Broadway, at (Mr. Marsh) was an extremely humorwhich about fifty guests were present, ous and indispensible factor in the drams, and the part could not have by found to the site of an ancust

In London Crops Are Raised in a Barrel or an Open Umbrella.

Many people have such a deeply coted love for flowers that they will go to any amount of trouble to raise a few blooms even under the most apparently impossible circumstances.

Instances of this occur in the East End of London, where spinetimes the only available garden is a barrel. In order to make the most of this. however, it is bored all over the diameter, into each of which a plant nothing but the very warmest praise of some description is placed, in adpan filled with water is placed and the for bringing such a high-class constitution to those planted in the year way on the top, so that a good dis-"Nell Gwynne," the bill presented play is obtained, in the minimum amount of space. These barrels frequently look very pretty and effective when all the plants are, in

The statement that there are gardens under bedelothes is supported by no less an authority than that Lord Jeffries, whose specialty was pass tor in the Midland, when calling upon a poor woman, noticed how few were the coverings to ler bed; smartly written, the dialogue being Tpon being asked, she admitted that brisk and brilliant, the situations and she had another blanket, and was pipes become clogged by throwing general atmosphere interesting, and remonstrated with for not using it, at length transpired that her husinto the sink enough sode live to fill acting, especially in the climaxes, band and taken it to cover some greenhouse, in the hope of saving Surely devotion to flowers could hardly got much further than this.

Not a few sub rban householders usually find their gardens just outside the scullery door, and they exupon the tiny slip of ground in which the considerate ferry builder has carefully buried its superfluous miles away from the residences. their owners, so that when visitors look around the garden' it neans On Wednesday "night the melo- a stomowhat lengthy excursion. These drama "South Aerica" was presented, small allotments are, lowever, Miss Mathes appearing as the Red tended, despite the fact that the Cross Nurse. Mr. F. R. Sawyer, as time taken in getting to and from

Of gardens in cemeteries. appears to be only a solitery until all his ammunition was spent day evening, when Miss Amy Bray, the charming ingenue, was in this as Sir Joseph Baxton of Crystal Talthe United States, however. are many gardens of this kind, notably at Boston, Brooklyn and Thilariage to Jas, D. Hislop, of Ingersoll, sunshine, and says and does girlish delphia, and they might, with sol-Ont. The church was prettily decorated things, so prettily, and so naturally as vantage, he copied a cur come

> umticilas as fac as obtamic a substantial crop of mustard and co-s open the umbrella, wet it thoroughly, and sprinkle the reed over it. If of felt or other sondae cloth

been placed in better hands. Mr. from Jetbargh. Three of the stoms besteerent accident, and will be able to resume relicarsals for Mikailo at NO FALURES OR DISTRIBUTION FOR DISTRIBUTION FOR THE STATE OF WHICH DIR HAND DVIO ADDITION ... gallery -a compliment rarely paid to nothing like so one in execution, as Honys the leader. Howard the Same -Always the best -Blue Ribbon Ceylon Jea

Business Cards.

MUSICAL.

C. H. CARPENTER, Organist and Choirgive in Plano, Church or Parlo (Togan, Open to engagements as tenor soloist, or as accompanist. Studio at the Mason & Risch Plano Wardrounis, Old Fellows Block, Fort Street.

ACCOUNTANTS

SIGNEE.-Vereker Block, Mathesor street, Rat Portage, Out.

DENTAL.

R. N. SCHNARR, Deutist. Office, Car michael block Main St., Rat Portage Office hours 9 s. m. to 6 p. m.

DR. D. MARSHALL, Dentist, Rice Block, Main St., Rat Portage. Office hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

M. McFARLANE, L.D.S., D.D.S. J. M. McFAttlane, marrie Building, Officef Bank of Ottawa Building, Rat Cor. Main and Fort Streets. Rat

LEGAL.

F. MACGILLIVRAY, Barrister, Block, Main street, Rat Portage.

THOMAS R. FERGUSON, Barris ter, Solicitor, Conveyancer, Etc., Rat Portage, Ont.

A LLAN McLENNAN, Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, etc. Office over Bank of Ottawa, Brydon Block, Rat Portage. Money to Loan

EARNGEY, HASSARD & JOHN-Room N. Confesieration Life Building. Toronto, A. R. Hassard, B. C. L. W. D. Earngey, Frank K. John

BOYCE & DRAPER, Buristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Office: Vereker block, corner Matheson and Fort street, Rat Portage,

A. C. BOYCE. G. H. DRAPER

L ANGFORD & MORAN, Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Offices Imperial Bank Chambers, Rat Portage. Money to loan on first-class securities. HENRY LANGFORD, hown Attorney for

District of Rainy River.

WM. BOSTON TOWERS, Barris ter, solicitor, Proctor, Notary, 1 . Offices; in Imperial Bank Cham-bers Kat Portage. Special attention given to contested Mining Claims, and Departmental work. Toronto Agents: Messrs, McCarthy, Osier, Hoskin &

MEDICAL.

1) R. W. J. CHAPMAN. Order Over White & Manahan's store, Main Street, Rat Portage Tele

TARS, EDMISON & LAIDLAW.

The Hilliard House

THE HILLIARD ROUSE, as usual, will stall be kept up to the front rank. I of Western Hotels, and with its addition of 100/Rooms, effers: "All the Comforts of a Home's to the Traveller and Tourists."

EVERYTHING IS FIRST CLASS

THE BAR of the liotel is well supplied with the Choicest Wines, Langers, and Cigars. Large and Commodious Sample Rooms for Travellers. When stopping at Rat Portage be sure and stop at the Hilliard House.

BEST FLOUR "FIVE ROSES"

Our Second, "PATENT"

Be sure and get either of these Brands which will assure

LAKE OF THE WOOD MILLINGS CO., Ltd. (1696363636363636363636363636363636)

Look here, Read This

Screen Doors and Windows

SCREEN DOORS, Painted Green, \$1.10 Each SCREEN WINDOWS,

Send your orders direct to us and get the BEST at LOWEST prices.

Rat Portage Lumber Co., Limited

SASH AND DOOR DEPARTMENT. Rat Portage, April 25th, 1901

rekerentierener en 1760an - 1

Fresh Groceries Finest in Town

CAMPBELL BROS

MAPLE LEAF STORE Ant a minute in the cries at the contract that

Miss Mathes suffered a bad attack of the gold mining fever while she was here and purchased air undeveloped claim on Lake of the woods. She told "Observer" that she intended to float * accompany to operate the Clara Mathes "chim, and would sell stock incevery round and city she plays in until enough money is raised to make it a playing sisters. Jessie and Alberta, made a ed. The part of Col. Pattee was takshe is a successful in her mining as she is at acting and then Clara Mathes played the wedding march as the party Pattee, by Miss Miller, who appeared stock will be worth considerable over

Mes. Ferguson informs, me that she has almost completely recovered from her recent accident, and will be able. to tesume relicarsals for Mikado at once. Her many friends will be de lighted to hear this, and those who know her only as a charming vocalist and 'metry "Pattir singer," will no doubt congratulate themselves upon the promise of her appearance on the · singe at the forthcoming operation

The society ellitorsof the Winnipeg Free Pressinserts the following interesting item in his column: X

Mrs. Swinford, Edmonton street, was the hostess at kivery impromptue out party last week in honor of Miss Miss Manning, the Messis. Chalmers, Hayraft, Patterson, O'Hara, Fisher, Robinson, Phillips, and others.

Captain Kendall took some of the members of the Chara Mathes Dramatic Company for a cruise on the lake last Juesday in his lixtirious steam yacht Clipper. Besides Miss Mathes and Mr. Harold Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Sullivan were on board.

What a charming idea that was to get up a navel display on the bay for our Sailor Prince on Tuesday night. and how pleased His Royal Highness mast have been when he saw those mekets shoot up into the sky. By the way, did anyone notice how slowly the train travelled from the tunnel to the depot? That must have been a happy idea of Engineer Johnson's, who had the honor of pulling the

yal train, and who very naturally anted the disks to see Rat Plotage. Mr. W. Fogg was the conductor of the train, and no doubt he also had a hand in arranging things so that, the dike would see as much as possible of our loval but impromptu demonstration Stationinaster Gooding is also deserve DELIVERED IN TOWN. ing of great paster for his illumination of the depote

Miss Bertha-Ritchie left on yester 1 day's train for Selkirk to be present at the wedding of her friend, Miss Bertha Yates, of Woodstock, who was married

muning company, was united in maroccasion. The bride entered on her father's arm and Ven. Archdeacon Fortin read the marriage service. Miss Maggie McLaughlin, of Rat Portage, was bridesmaid, and the groom was supported by Mr. W. E. Bray, brother justice to the part could be expected of the bride, Two of the bride's little from him, and no one was disappoint mine. It is superely to be hoped that charming pair of flower girls. Mr. en by Mr. Haigh in an acceptable Robt, Fletcher, organist of the church, manner; and that of his wife, Mrs. left the church. After the ceremony a to better advantage in this than in her reception was held at the residence of previous roles. "Wally Astorbilt," the bride's parents, 628 Broadway, at which about fifty guests were presents ous and indispensible factor in the

NO FAILURES OR DISAPPOINTMENTS

RUC PATTERNS.

Do you make up mats, rugs or carpets in your home. If so, you will Mr. Sawyer's patriotic song and Miss joadily admit, that your success is Mathes illustrated number, coming in largely due to the lovely and brilliant for enthusiastic appliance. The sercolors given in your materials by the use of Diamond Dyes. Users of Diamond Dyes know that they never suffer failmes or disappointments in their work; this is the first time they have been they quickly and easily get the exact Burton, of Rat Hortage, who is her colors they require, and never waste guest. Among the invited guests were time or money. If you are interested noticed Miss Howell, Miss Simpson, in the popular work of any making, Miss M. Simpson, Miss Haggerty, Miss and cannot procure the Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns from your P. Haggertys Miss Chesterton, Miss local dealer, send your address at once Codd, Miss, Gaskell, London, Eng., to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal, and you will receive free of cost sheets of designs to select from the west.



BLACKSMITH NUT STOVE EGG SOFT and COKE

ALSO

one mus about the stage like a ray of been recommended for a commission, ringe to Jas. D. Histop, of Ingersoll, sunshine, and says and does girlish Ont. The church was prettily decorated things so prettily, and so naturally as with palms and flowers in honor of the to make one think that she must be teries ingenuous and altogether lovely off the stage as well as on it.

Mr. Nelson had the heroic Strathcoun to play, and of course in such capable hands nothing but the fullest (Mr. Marsh) was an extremely humor drama, and the part could not have been placed in better hands. Mr. Kennedy, as the scoundrelly Captain Powell, was heartily hissed from the gallery -a compliment rarely paid to villains who play before a Rat Portage andience-unless they are especially high grade at the business, and smoke A WORD ABOUT DIAMOND DYE MAT AND cigarettes in the presence of ladies.

The specialties introduced between acts during the playing of "South Africa" were notably clever and refined, pantine and butterfly dances by Miss seen here with the proper calcium effects the novelty of the thing roused. seldom reached by local playgoers,

It is to be hoped that the operahouse management will book the

Frederick Soulnup, for over twenty years bandmaster of the Grenadiers band. Toronto, is dead.

A Beautiful Canadian City.

The people of Kingston, Ont., think their city one of the most beautiful on the continent, as far as natural advantages are concerned, and this opinion is certainly deserved, says T. Darley Allen in Boston Ideas, The city is situated at the foot of Lake Ontario, just where the River St. Lawrence begins, and quite near the famous Thousand Islands. The view of the place as one comes in the harbor is truly magnificent. On a hell overlooking the city is a fort, and the few martello towers in the lake. not far foora the shore, give the town in Dirrope. The large provinthe insane, along the shore to the extreme west of the city, the Military College at the other extreme, and beween them the large handsome city hall and churches, all present a grand appearance from the lake. The Visit or, to the Pan-American, no matter where he comes from, should not return before paying a visit to this interesting place! Do not fail to take a trip on Kingston harbor.

Kingston is a prominent literary centre It is the seat of the Queen's University, and the home of Principal Grant, 'n widely-known man of letters Near here the inte Grant Allen was born, and Cilbert Parker, the noted novelist, was once a resi-

ably at Boston, Brooklyn and Thila delphia, and they might, with advantage, he copied in our come-

Gardens may be made on umbrellas as far as obtaining a substantial crop of nustard and cros is concerned. It is only necessary to open the umbrella, with it thorough ly, and sprinkle the seed over it. the fabric is kipt damp the seed will suon begin to sprout, and in a few tweeks a nice quantity of the saked may be cut, The same thing may be done, in 'a dinner cptate with the aid of a strip of an old thennel shirt, a piece of felt, or other similar cloth provided it is kept moist. - London Mail. Find of Sculptured Stones

Four sculptured stones were recent ly found at the site of an ancient at Old Jedward, five mile from Jedburgh. Three of the stones Lave the chevron or rigrag orms ment, but the work is shallow and nothing like so fine in execution, as that of the similar design in various parts of Jedburgh Abbey. Mr. Walter Laidlaw! Abbey Gardens, his taken charge of the stones, and has got the opinion of an authority that the sculpture is of the early Norman and that the stones have formed part of an arch. Old Jedworth, as it was formerly called, is a very ancient place; and the chapel of which these stones are presumably relies, was founded by Ecgred ly relies. was founded by Fiegr Bishop of Lindisfarne, who died year 845. Mathes were most beautiful, and as what is called Chapelhaugh, by the side of the Fed. There were two Jedworths, and this place, which has gone to decay, has been long known as Old Jedword, but Jeffrey, the his the andience to a point of enthusiasm torian of Boxburghshire, doubts in there is any authority for holding that the hamlet on the Jed is older than the burgh. The appellation Old Jedworth had been conferred on it in modern times, and without reference to its being founded anterior to the existence of the royal burgh

For the Benefit of the Church.

An amusing incident occurred at iumblé sale recently held at a Noncom formist Church in Southampton. The church is situated near a well-known laundry, to which a messenger, who was not very safe in his topography was to take the weekly washing of a pronument citizen of the town. fortunately for the owner, the washing was left at the church, where upon the holders of the sale, thankful for the anonymous gift, proceeded to offer the collars, shires and various other articles, to the highest hidder.

Dange out Toy Pistols.

An urgent representation is to b made to the Home Office concerning the sale, in Bormingham expecially of what are miscalled toy histols to Young children. Recently a boy William Day bough a toy pistol, for twopence, and having loaded it fired in the face of a lad named Connor.; The weapon discharged Cigats, Evely Accommodation, J a bullet, which penetrated Connors Beaudio A Son, Props. cheek and lodged in his jaw. Day was arrested.

Lord Wantagets Model,"Pub."

Lord Wantage, wife has just died was the first peer to run a mode public house. Long before the advocacy of the Gothenburg system he ran an inn at Ardington and devoted the profits to local charities A feature was the sale of soup over the counter during the winter months. taken for soup than for beer.

Vereker block, corner Matheson and Fort street, Rat Portage, BOYCE, G. H. DRAPER. A. C. BOYCE.

ANGFORD & MORAN, Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Offices Imperial Bánk Chambers, Rat Portage, Money to loan on first-class securities. TENRY LANGFORD. W. J. MORAN. rown Attorney for

District of Rainy River.

WM. BOSTON TOWERS, Barrister, Solicitor, Proctor, Notary, Etc. Offices: in Imperial Bank Chambers, Rat Portage. Special attention given to contested Mining Claims, and Departmental work. Toronto Agents: Messrs, McCarthy, Osler, Hoskin & Crockman.

MEDICAL.

DR. W. J. CHAPMAN. Office: Over White & Manahan's store, Main Street, Rat Portage. Tele-

DRS. EDMISON & JAIDLAW.

 $\mathbf{D}^{\mathrm{R},\,\widetilde{\mathrm{D}}_{\mathrm{A}}\mathrm{VID}}$ Office: Opposite Impelial Bank, Main street. Telephone 91.

MINING ENGINEERS

WALPOLE ROLAND Mining and Civil Engineer.

SONSULAING Regimele: Insector CONSTETING Regiment: In-spectre Con-bracille II. In legal and Staty's E-timates and Underground I form a speady References; Juagine (Fig. a) d Masin a bottal New York; Mining Review Colavie. In jet in and ottarro danks; Mining Justi al. London England; Chenheal, Kuby and The Virgina Companies Messes, Ray, Stof & Chang, Kern Arthur, Stoff & Chang, Melectic Onto, Int Portage.

CHAS, BRENT, Mining Engineer and Metallurgist, Rat Portage, Ont.—Examines and reports on mining properties. Superintends the erection of mining and milling plants. Ten years experience in Thunder buy and Rainy River mining districts.

W. A. MacLEOD, Mining Engineer.
Examines and Reports upon
Mining properties. Address: Dynamic Ontario.

SURVEYORS.

RDMUND SEAGER, O.L.S., and D.L.S. Office near Ortawa House Matheson street, Rat Portage.

HOTELS!

CENTRAL HOUSE Matheson St., opposite C. P. R. Station, Rat Portog. Rates: \$1.00 to \$1.50 per day. Good Table. Fine Liquors and

DUSSBEL HOUSE Rat Portage Ont. Rates: \$1.00 to \$2.00 pcr day. This house has been thoroughly refitted and everything is first class. The Bar is supplied with the choicest Liquors and Cigars. J. G. Gandaur. Proprietor.

HOTEL LELAND, Winnipeg. pect; is in the centre of the wholestle and retail district. Rates, \$2.50, \$3.00 and on some days more money was and \$1.00 per day. W.D. DOUGLAS, Proprietor.

Rat Portage Lumber Co./Limited

SASH AND DOOR DEPARTMENT.

Fresh Groceries Finestin Town CAMPBELL BROS

MAPLE LEAF STORE.

Keep Cool.

Quench

Your Thirst, and aid A

Digestion A To

These three desirable obriects can be obtained by, drinking _____

Pure Sultana Lager, Regina Porter and Mikado Ale

Manufacturedsby

THE LAKE OF THE WOODS BREWING COMPANY, LIMITED

Drewry George

WHOLESALE

WINES AND LIQUORS

ALE, PORTER AND

AAĞER.

Manufactured expressly for tenuly and put up in hardened bottles.

CARBONATED WATER OF A full assumption of the ceter-Golden Key Brand at ays in sonk,

ALIENS CLARIFIED AND REFINEDECTDER

KEEWATIN. UNTARÍO!

HEAD OFFICE TORO TOO XT

easy plan of monthly particent cover ing prinched and interest. GEORGE EVANS. District Congral Agoyt

FIRE ACCIDENTS, LIFE INSURANCE.

Miner

PROMPTLY AND CORRECTLY.

* GLASGOW * HOUSE

That's Our Business. We believe in doing one thing at a time and doing it right, and its a household word in Rat Portage today that MacKenzie's is the proper store for the Newest and Best Values in DRY GOODS. This Fall we are better prepared than ever to cater to the wants of the public. Every Department is crowded with New and Choice Goods, bought in the best markets to be sold at the SMALLEST MARGIN OF PROFIT

32 Pieces Latest Colors and Patterns The proper material for Blouses and Dressy Sacques. Price 60c per yard. Finest Opera Flannels with Embroid ered Spot. Latest Colorings. \$2.00 per Blouse End.

Alexandria Cloth

Is certainly the leading material for Ladies' Tailor Suits. This cloth has a Beautiful Rich Finish, is ALREADY SHRUNK, and guaranteed not to spot. Elegank Asso Suit 310.75 Assortment of Shades, Per

Pipley's Pirle Finish Broadcloth. A Nice Medium Weight for Fall Suits. In all the Latest Colors, 52 inch wide.

\$1.00 per. School Dresses.

You must have something to wear for at 25c per yard is a good one.



Are sold by the best stores in Canada and the United States. We look after that trade in Rat Portage. We canthe girls. Our Special 42 inch Tweed didly believe we have the best values in Gloves in the market today. Per-

rin's Olga in Black, Modes or Tans O'R CORSET DEPARTMENT IS \$1.50 per pair. \$1.50 per pair. Perrin's Adonis in Black, Modes and sistants who understand the advant-

Tan \$1 25. Perrin's Swede Gloves in Modes and Corsets on the mbrket today:

Greys \$1.50. For \$1.00 we have the Best Kid D. & A. Latest Straight Front Model Glove Value to be found. Black or Tan.



The success of our demonstration on

Crompton's Erect Form: Majestic. Ladies and Children's Hygean Walsts.

Queen Moo and Duchess.

ages of the many different kinds kept

in stock. Here are some of the Best

and Crest.

W One stock is so large and well assorted Skirts for \$2.50 to \$10.00 in Lustre, Melton, Broadcloth and Home spun. Some are made Plain, others Trimmed with Taffeta Silk, and are cut and made up in the Best Style.

NEW BLOUSES FOR FALL...

OUR BLOUSES came to hand yes terday, and they are the Swellest and Smartest we have ever shown. Made of French Flannel, Cashmere and Lustre. Latest Colors and Combinations, and what correct dresser are wearing in the east.



Boys 2-Piece Tweed Suits \$2.50 **柴柴米米米米** Boys 3-Piece Tweed or Serge 3.50 Boys 3-Piece Sacque Coat. D B Vest - - - \$5.00

Here are three Specials:

90 Pairs Boys Odd Knickers in Serge. Tweed and Cordroy 50o, 65o, 75c and

CLOTHING for Boys and Youth

partment with us, and this season we

are offering better values than ever.

90c Per Pair.

Latest Style Stiff Hats.

For men just in. Get your new Fall



BARKER'S COLLARS..... Another lot of Borkers Collars . just

some to band. All the newest Ameri-The very latest shape is

Cor. Fort & Main Sts.

BABIES

In fact every

happy. At



town, on his way home from the SUPPLIED

spent a few days in town this week.

phia, is in town on mining business.

Mr. Robert McKay has returned from a month's holidays spent at Pilot Mound, Man.

Mr. S. Graffis who was in Winnipeg by the committee. a few days this week, returned to town Wednesday morning.

cargo of freight for the merchants on the American side of Rainy River at Fort William on Friday. The freight came in bond via the C. P. R. to Rat Portage, and was here transferred to the Keepora.

a man by the name of Thos. Mackie fell firm for eighteen years, and his books off the str. Undine.

deeply regretted by the Lumber (Miss Burhanan, of Montreal, a member of the Victorian Order of Nurses, is at the Hilliard on her way to Fort' their little life Frances, where she will have charge of the local branch of the order.

Mrs. L. L. Mather left this week on

Mr. G. Schnarr, of Berlin, brother THE DUKE'S VISIT. of Dr. Schnarr, spent Wednesday in

the occasion of the arrival of the Duke Mr. A. S. Swinford, of Winnipeg and Duchess of Cornwall here last Tuesday night is largely due to Mr. J. Mr. N. C. Westerfield, of Philadel. E. Young's happy forethought. It was Mr. Young who first mentioned the idea of a demonstration, and he deserves, much credit for his suggest-

ion, and for his subsequent hard work in carrying out the plan mapped out

The steamer Argo unloaded a large DEATH OF JOHN MCPHERSON.

Mr. John McPherson, one of the oldest residents of Keewatin, died today the cure of Backache, Diabetes, at the age of 52. He was the father of Bright's Disease and all Urinary George McPherson, who is well known in Rat Portage, Deceased was the A sad drowning accident happened most trusted employe of the Keevatin recently near Sturgeon Falls, when Lumber Co., having worked for that

HON, N. CLARK WALLACE DEAD.

Hon. Nathanial Clark Wall ice after



THE ORIGINATOR OF

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

The original kidney specific for

Don't accept something just as

London, Eng., a Canadian 12 penny, J. Bowman, 3204 First Avenue S, Min black issued in 1851, sold for £61; a neapolis, Minn. an illness of Several Weeks, passed control Romswick shilling, manyer for

"Bitter is patience, but its fruit is sweet."

M. MACKENZIE &

Inconvenient is waiting, but better order by mail, than accept substitutes.

Get the shoe you know,-

"The Slater Shoe"

"Goodyear Welted"

GARDNER, RICE, McLEOD CO. Sole Local Agents,

good. See you get the genuine Popular Wants.

ALA sale of our postage statues in [1962]. Apply at Miner Office (1962).

PURNISHED ROOMS TO LET



PPAREL is only made by the failor who studies his oustomers form, and wishes to put all his skill and knowledge into the production of each garment, This is done here, and we acknowledge no superiors. Our

fits right, is made right, and wears right. And the cost is 🛴 not high. It is money in your pocket when you place your

UTHBERT





In fact every thing to make their little life

happy. At

Wood's Drug Store a trip east to pay a visit to relatives. Cor. Matheson and Fort, Rat Portage.

The first train to Fort Frances is exneeted to arrive there tomorrow. The son's Bay deserve on the river front.

Mr. Jas. Compley is able to be around again after his long siege of illness.

Mr. Jose Ganthier, of Norman, has returned from a visit to friends in Winnipeg and St. Boniface.

Mrs. Frisbic, wife of I. S. Consul east several hours today. Prisbie, presented her husband with twins on Thursday, and the happy father is busy today receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends.

The sopranos and altos of Notre Dame chon are requested to meet in the sacristy tonight at Solclock. There will be practice.

Rev. Father Blas stopped off a day here vesterday on his way down to Montreal on inanigration business.

The Mikado concert people are requested to meet at Mr. Carpenter's studio tomerrow night at eight.

Mis. A. S. Horswill is at Selkirk to day attending the weddings of her sistor and brother, Miss and Mr. Oswald Patington.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the town council will be held on Monday evening in the town hall,

Mr. Andy Cuthbert, the well known merchant tailor, is now doing business in his new stand on Minn street, near the Miner office.

Mr. J. C. McLeavy, of Fort Frances, was in town this week, having been called as a witness in the King vs. 1 toherty case.

Mr. Hugh Armstrong, of the Dominion Fish Company is, in Winnipeg on business.

Capt. Rogers, the lady cornettist; and Lieut. Shergis, of the Salyation Army, will bid farewell to Rat Portage on Sunday night.

Dill D. a few days this week, returned to town Wednesday morning.

> cargo of freight for the merchants on the American side of Rainy River at Fort William on Friday. The freight came in bond via the C. P. R. to Ratt ost residents of Keewatin, died today Portage, and was here transferred to at the age of 52. He was the father of the Keenora

> recently near Sturgeon Falls, when Lumber Co., having worked for that a man by the name of Thos. Mackie fell, firm for eighteen years, and his loss is off the str. Undine.

Miss Buchanan, of Montreal, a member of the Victorian Order of Nurses. is at the Hilliard on her way to Fort HON, N. CLARK WALLACE DEAD. Frances, where she will have charge of the local branch of the order.

Mis. W. L. Mather left this week on

Mr. W. A. Shaw and wife, of the east. They visited the Pan-American, Chicago, St. Paul and other cities Local Interest while they were away.

> Manager Peterson of the Black Eagle mine is in town. Mr. Ed. Jones, of the Mine Centre

Hotel, has accepted a position as clerk station is to be located near the Hod-, at the Hilliard House. Mr. Joines is well known among the travelling public, and enjoys a large popularity among commercial men. His appointment, under Mr. Percival, therefore, is a happy one for the Hilliard.

A rear end collision between freight and the local train near Eagle (ica. He strongly opposed the Jesuits'

Mr. Jas. Paul and wife, of Fort Frances, are registered at the Hilliard.

Mr. Geo. P. Phillips, governments nipeg this week.

Two Extreme Cases of Itching Piles

That Were Positively and Thor oughly Cured by Dr. Chase's Was to be.' Ulniment-The Only Actual Cure pair attended ch For Every Form of Piles.

Mr. F. Stokes, 116 Dunlop stree Barrie, Ont., writes: - T was troubled with blind, itching piles for years, and could get nothing to stop the constant tiching. I was always in pain until s friend of mine told me of the wonderfu cures Dr. Chase's Cointment had made statitude for this marvellous cure, and benefit of others suffering as 1 did. I send you this record of my case, ment, A was bothered with the above ment. A was bothered with the above mainsy for twelve, years, and suffered extreme agony at times. Thanks to Dr. Chase's Qintment. I'am' completely cured, and would recommend it with fullest confidence to all suffering the torture of this terrible, disease. Gr Tarten and Comments of Edmanson. Ester & Co. Tarten Galers, or Edmanson.

Bates & Cor. Toronto.

Agents wanted for Dr. Chase's last and complete Receipt Book

The steamer Argo unloaded a large DEATH OF JOHN MCPHERSON

Mr. John McPherson, one of the old George McPherson, who is well known in Rat Portage. Deceased was the A sad drowning accident happened most trusted employe of the Keewatin deeply regretted by the Lamber Co.

Hon. Nathanial Clark Wallace after an illness of several-weeks, passed away at his home at Woodbridge,Ont. on Tuesday evening. He leaves a wislow, four sons and three daughters, Shaw Hotel, have returned from a trip He was born at Woodbridge in 1814 In his annual report Sir Charles Rivand after completing his education era-Wilson, President of the Grand he taught school for a time. His pub. Trunk railway, said that the carrying lic career dates from 1874, when he out of the policy of reciprocity, indiwas elected to the county council of cated in President McKinley's last York, four years later becoming wars most serious barriers to the mosperity Apply to W. J. Moran. den. In 1878 he was elected to the of Canada, and the Grand Trunk rail House of Commons in the Conserva- road. tive interest for West York, and he continued to represent the constituency to his death. In 1896 he was elected by 4,263 majority. As an Orangeman he is even better known than politically be having occupied for fourteen years the high position of Supreme Cures Sick People and Makes Them Grand Master of British North Amerriver delayed the passenger from the Estates. Act and later the remedial logistation in Manitoba. By his death a cured man says : "I feel just as Mr. D. K. Effiott, of Winnings was Dr. Sproule, deputy Grand Master of here this week to attend the district the Orange order, becomes Grand

For Better or for Worse.

There was a currous scene at Work-Ington recently. A wedding ceremony inspector of steamboats, was in Win- proceeded without interruption until the bridegroom had to pledge himself to take the woman for better or for worsy. He refused to repeat these words. The persuasion and entreaties of the minister and the bride-elect failed to after his resolution, and when the minister said his could not proceed with the ceremony the man left the church, to the evident disappoints of a Soon the act and that time the cons cossibility

A London buyele agent, who ad-Accomb diameters 6 coing that it had been ridden . asand miles is whok for 12 we is without breaktending purchase in ver, showed Gruer says more interest in the condition of the animals and flowers and people as an and I feel just as bright as a boy feel spaces. But I'm not save about the world,"

Levies I'm not save about the content of eighteen years. I think Paine's Celevities the world,"

THE ORIGINATOR OF

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS.

The original kidney specific for the cure of Backache, Diabetes, Bright's Disease and all Urinary

Don't accept something just as good. See you get the genuine

DOAN'S

At a sale of care postage stamps in black issued in 1851, sold for £61; a neapolis, Minn. New Brunswick shilling, manye, for £36; a Nova Scotia shilling, purple, for

Feel Young Again.

BRIGHT AND YOUNG AS A BOY."

After Many Failures With Physicians and Medidines, Mr. McGruer Was Saved By

COMPOUND

All the combined nowers of earth cannot stem the lide of fruth that sweeps over this Dominion of ours in regard to the curing and life-restoring virtues of Paine's Velery Compound. vilo that The thousands cured year after year send such strong and convincing let- our other shops we have now the only ed oft see- ened skeptics are forced to admit that

The following letter from Mr. A. R. McGruer, Dixon's corners, Ont., assuresyon that, no matter howdesperate your case may be, Paine's Celery among his acquaintances. I only used hig down was grained from the Compound will do more for you than one box, and am entirely cured. In point of you of bother An in-ventor possibly hope for Mr. Mc-

"Some time ago my condition of aid, I send you this record of my case.

Mr. Amos P. Bisher of Somer's at the condition of the 12 weeks.
Mr. Amos P. Bisher of Somer's at the condition of the 12 weeks.
King's Co., N.S., a commercial travelber, well-known, trivillation title. The properties of the send of the 12 weeks.

Oh. a refer "was the coin retery much, I was laid up three days. Permit & Son.

The send to be very week, and I often said to
the first of the send to be send to be the first of the send to be the first of the send to be send to the line piles by using Dr. Chase's Chicondition of the 12 weeks.

Oh. a refer "weeks the coin retery much, I was laid up three days. Permit & Son.

The send to be very week, and I often said to
the first of the send to be and not the rider. His indifference called away. Three of the best doctors to the latter recards the opposite attended me, but could not relieve me titude of the child who connected the in any way. It was then I was advised frequent about of her father with to use Paines Celery Compound, which his recent acquired an of a new bi-nivode. God wants us to be kind to this great remedy, I find myself a new

"The Slater Shoe"

RESIDENCE FOR SALE Situated in good section of Ray Port age. Apply at Miner Office, or to F. London, Eng., a Canadian 12 penny. J. Bowman, 3201 First Avenue S, Min-

DURNISHEN ROOMS TO LET House centrally located; all mod £36; and a Newfoundland two-penny, etn improvements. Apply Miner

able. Apply to A.S. Horswill. 93 94

FOR SALE OR TO RENT The residence of the late

PO RENT-Cottage on Fifth street.

HOUSE TO RENT

Apply to W. J. MORAN.

36; per hour for spare time. Manufac-turer, Box 78 Philadelphia.

TAVING leased the Davison Barber Shop and Cigar Store and closed send such strong and convinging are less of testimony that the most hard first-class, up-loaders shop of its kind and skepties are forced to admit that Panics (elevy Compound does possesses yet) began attending it is possible to predictal powers unknown to other the same treatment as the millionaire

> Only Public Saths in Town. We have Salt and other baths on the shortest Pipes, Etc., always in stock

PERRAULT & LARKINS.

INSURANCE

G. C. FRISBIE.

know.-

"Goodyear Welted"

GARDNER, RICE, McLEOD CO., Sole Local Agents.

Popular Wants.

SEVEN ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT

near Main. Apply to Mr. J. L. Gauthier, Barber, Second street. 70

STONE Dwelling house in Rideout Estate, known as Doyle cottage.

HOUSE TO LET In first-class locality. Apply at Miner Office OFFICE MATHESON ST. P.O. Box 133
Phone 68. Correspondence Solicited.

WANTED - A copy of The Miner of Aug. 9th. Kindly send to this

\$15.00 TO \$18.00 A WEEK

salary for an intelligent man or wom-an in each town. Permanent position.

now the only public bath rooms in the town and can furnish Hot, Cold. Sea notice. High-Class Cigars, Tobaccos.

Fire, Accident & Plate Glass

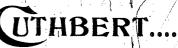
(Successito C. WACHADWICK)

PPAREL is only heade by the failor who studies his dustomers form, and wishes to put all his skill and

knowledge into the production of each garment.

This is done here, and we acknowledge no superiors. Our **Clothing Made to Measure**

fits right, is made right, and wears right. And the cost is not high. It is money in your pocket when you place your order with



MAIN STREET.

INSURANCE.

FIRE. LIFE. ACCIDENT.

Commission.

J. R. BUNN, Successor to M.Kyle

UPHOLSTERED OR Which do you

PLAIN CHAIRS - intend purchas-

ing? Which are necessary to the furnishings of your apartments? Both

kinds here of course. Wouldn't con-sider our stock of

FUENITURE

complete without a large assortment

Not a chair in the lot that doesn't possess much beauty and originality of

design. The material and fluish o

Cor Second and Lillie Sts.

each is excellent.

CASH TAILOR.

THE BANK OF OTTAWA

HEAD OFFICE, OTTAWA

CAPITAL \$2,000,000 - - 3- 4 REST, \$1,660,455 GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT. Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest allowed. RAT PORTAGE BRANCH : -

- C. O. PENNOCK, Manager.

Chickerina &

Sold only by The Mason & Risch plano Co.

ASSAY

Analytical baboratory

SECURD STREET

Careful assays and analysis of ours
made. Samples by mail or express promptly attended to

THOS. HEYS, Jr.

Toronto Office, 130 King St., west. Maps of Deer Lake and Denmark Districts for sald

Relined HALF PINT BOTTLLS

is meeting with steadily incre ising sales article dways eniform. condition very convenient and frice for family use. On glass, to each

Edward b. Drewry

boulle, holwaste.

Manufacturer and Importer EINNEPEG.

H. Rideout & Co. Geo. Drewly, Agt.